



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the PATENT application of:

Richard S. ORR et al.

Serial No.: 10/083,655

Filed: February 27, 2002

For: METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR MULTIPLEXING SIGNAL CODES VIA
WEIGHTED MAJORITY LOGIC

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Sir:


In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated March 21, 2002, enclosed for filing in the subject application are an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney (2 pages), a copy of Notice to File Missing Parts, and Check #5864 in the amount of \$1,554.00 in payment of the subject application filing fee calculated as shown below.

FEE CALCULATION

		BASIC FILING FEE: \$ 740.00	
		Surcharge: \$ 130.00	
TOTAL CLAIMS	58	- 20 =	Extra 38 x 18 = \$ 684.00
<u>INDEPENDENT CLAIMS</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>- 3 =</u>	<u>Extra 0 x 84 = \$ 0.00</u>
			TOTAL \$1,554.00

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required for the above-identified application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 05-0460.

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$684.
 ▪ \$684 for 38 total claims over 20.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 1554.**

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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